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Around the Square

Trash Haul Bids Before Council

BY ARTHUR HEWITT

We don't usually set ourselves up as a wrist slapper, preferring to let go with a factual wallop or hold our tongue. But we have come across an incident where we wonder if hunting down the involved persons and reporting the facts would bring us nearer to correction than just setting down the case here and suggesting we all ponder a moment.

On election day, a reasonable and mature resident came into the office. She said that she had gone to her polling place, had entered the curtained booth and had found no pencil provided for a write-in on the ballot.

She had no alternative but to put her head out of the booth and ask for a pencil—indicating to all present that she was not abiding by the standard ticket—and, in her own terms, "forced to violate my own privacy of vote."

But pencil or no pencil, there was no excuse for what followed. As she returned to her voting booth the precinct judge said loudly:

"There goes a ballot down the sink!"

We have high regard for the men and women who work all day and far into the night on the election boards. It's a tough and often thankless job.

But it should be tackled fairly and not a whisper of a doubt ever should be raised in a voter's mind that all democratic elections are not honestly conducted.

Right?

It's not a secret we're giving away—all the school kids in town apparently know it—that instead of dialing the long and laborious CUster 5, all you need do is dial the numeral 8 and then the four last numbers.

Yeah, it works.

We tried it.

Mrs. Kenneth Bush, attractive pillar of the Congregational Church, went to her car after last Sunday services to find this attached—

ANGEL PARKING IS PROHIBITED ON THIS STREET. ANY MORE OF THIS AND A CITATION WILL BE ISSUED.

THE SIERRA MADRE POLICE

But, boys, those harps get heavy!

No news for us is NOT good news.

All the gallon jugs that are toted away from Andy Liscomb's gas emporium bear the appealing little sign—

"Andy wants me home."

Most of them come back.

To please your eye for color we suggest that you pause a moment in front of the de Clercq's house at 54 Mountain Trail.

Chrysanthemums.

Magnificent.

On "Tiny's" juke box menu is a little ditty which we dedicate to Chief G. McC.—

"Under the Shivering Palms I'm Waiting for You."

And how big is your pet? George Cox regaled us the other day with tales of his tiger cat that weighs 21 pounds and will be 14 years old any day now.

Somebody on the "Daily News" in Pittsburgh, Cal., had fun with a story about a cat caught in an electric fan—heading it thus:

"Cat Defured in Draft Machine."

End of tail.

WEATHER REPORT

	Max.	Min.
October 28th	61°	55°
October 29th	68°	53°
October 30th	64°	52°
October 31st	63°	44°
November 1st	66°	52°
November 2nd	78°	48°
November 3rd	76°	50°

He read the following sen-

HUMIDITY DROP IS FIRE DANGER SIGNAL HERE

Humidity in Sierra Madre has fallen below 10 per cent for several consecutive days. It has fallen as low as 5 per cent. With this fact added to the perilous fire conditions now prevalent, Fire Chief Heasley and the National Forest Service today issued a special warning.

Burning must be kept at a minimum and incinerator burning should be done with protection of a running hose.

The Angeles National Forestry Service, the County Fire Department and the Sierra Madre Fire Department are maintaining special patrols along the foothills because of the present urgency. There is no break in sight in the present high fire hazard weather.

Since smog authorities banned burning in several foothill cities' dumps many dangerous trash fires have been discovered in open areas along the hills. Parked cars are being checked by the special patrols in the danger areas for smokers.

Hit Council In Youth Hut Path Hazards

The City Council this week was told in no uncertain terms to get off the dime and do something besides talk about removing the hazards that confront anyone trying to get from the street to the Youth Hut.

E. W. Weber of 31 South Baldwin avenue stood up at the last Council meeting to declare:

"You'll hear me at every meeting here until someone does something about the chuck holes, the big stones and the other hazards that are in the path from the street to the Youth Hut."

He outlined the deplorable situation and pointed out that more than one person had been hurt on what the City Council passes off as a "walk."

He pointed out that the people of Sierra Madre had donated a lot of money to get the Youth Hut and that it was up to the City Council to see that it is accessible.

Councilman Henry Nuettel said that Waterman W. H. Brod has been appointed a committee of one to make a "survey."

Brod said he had instructed someone to grade the path.

Weber said it hadn't been done.

Brod admitted that "I'll have to spend some time on it."

Weber promised to return at the next regular meeting.

GONE SIX WEEKS

Mr. and Mrs. Fred E. Long, 639 East Orange Grove, returned Saturday from a six weeks' trip to Minnesota, Chicago, Bellville, Ill., and Texas points.

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Fine of \$240 Slapped On Seven for Burning

A fine of \$240, payable over a period of one year, was handed down this week to each of seven Sierra Madre youths who fired a palm tree during the Hallowe'en weekend.

The sentence imposed last Saturday by City Judge John C. Mead also included 120 days in the County jail. But this jail term was suspended and a year's probation granted.

The seven young men must also make restitution to the owner of the tree. Mrs. Marie Salvetti of 45 East Highland avenue. It was her palm tree that the seven pleaded guilty to torching.

They asked them to trim the dry fronds of three other palm trees on their property to remove fire danger.

Before sentence was pronounced, Kenneth Kearney, attorney for three of the men, warned that the next time anyone is caught firing a palm tree "it's going to go very hard" on him.

Those who were sentenced:

Gerald Randall Perry, 18, 541 West Laurel; John Stanley Lloyd, 18, 101 Esperanza; Joe Edward Vernon, 19, 411 Sturtevant; James Vernon, 22, 411 Sturtevant; John Davis Buchan, 20, 677 West Montecito; Thomas Jerome Cox, 18, 269 E. Laurel; Joseph E. Cox, 21, 269 East Laurel.

Judge Mead pointed out that the burden of the fine was to be the responsibility of the seven who pleaded guilty to malicious mischief—not that of the parents.

"You are spared the disgrace of prison," the judge said, "and this is the sentence to be complied with."

(4) You shall follow all further orders of this Court and give immediate notification of any change of address.

(5) You shall make restitu-

tion to the property owner for the damage to her tree.

Judge Mead said it was his sincere conviction that justice would be served by this sentence. He reiterated his previous statement that the obligation of paying the fine was not to become "that of your parents."

"At various times during the period of your probation I would like to consult you," he said.

Kearney then pointed out that at the end of the probationary period the law allows the "parties to come in and have the charges dismissed and the slate wiped clean."

Judge Mead said that that was correct.

Before sentencing, Kearney asked permission to advise his clients and the others.

He pointed out that the torching of a palm tree is now a felony under state law, a crime punishable by a sentence to the penitentiary.

"I think you know now that setting fires to palm trees or anything else that doesn't belong to you is a very serious offense," he said.

"Lighting palm trees in Sierra Madre or anywhere else is serious . . . there is the ever present danger of setting the town on fire, of setting the mountain side on fire."

He referred to the Topanga and Orange county blazes that this week destroyed more than a hundred homes.

"These fires are very destruc-

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Fires in Southern California!

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Water Land May Get Nod For Armory Location Here

CITY OFFERS DEED ON LAND TO STATE FOR FREE SITE

The proposed Armory for Sierra Madre's National Guard unit will probably be constructed on the city-owned "water-land"—not on the "Park site."

This appeared a certainty this week following inspection of the two sites by members of the State Division of Architecture and a representative of the National Guard and follow-up action by the City Council.

The hush-hush negotiations with the State came out at the tail end of Tuesday's Council meeting after a meager agenda had been exhausted and City Attorney Tom Reynolds, in soto voce, which is one step above a murmur, began reading an authorization to execute a deed for a section of the city land to the State for an Armory site.

The land which will be offered to the State is not the same as originally proposed. The Council had previously offered the southwest corner of the city property variously referred to as the "dump," the "spreading grounds," the "water land" and "that place."

What is now being offered is a section 300 feet by 300 feet that lies between the Youth Hut and well No. 1 pumping (300 feet east of the former and 15 feet east of the latter).

YOUTH FUND DRIVE 'FILLS THE TILL' AGAIN

wer."

Those who looked over the property were James A. Gillum, senior architectural designer for the Division of Architecture, State Department of Public Works, Sacramento; P. T. Poage, assistant state architect, and Lieut. Col. W. B. Henderson, California National Guard.

The National Guard has plans for construction of an Armory here at a cost of \$100,000. It would be open to community use when not needed for National Guard drills and activities.

The catch, however, has been in its location. Captain S. M. Ulman, head of the local Guard unit, carried the torch for the Armory's location on the present unused portion of the Park site on West Sierra Madre boulevard.

He and at least one of his superior officers told the Council that no other site would be considered for the Armory, that if the Park site were not dedicated to the State the city would get no Armory at all. The Council, however, refused that site because it had "been committed to park use."

The Council's plea then was carried to "higher ups" and the reconsideration resulted.

No public hearings on the proposed deeding of the "water land" will be necessary. It was required on the Park property because it had been deeded to the city for park purposes.

If the deal goes through, and it is expected to be completed before the end of the year, the 300' by 300' plot will be given without charge to the State.

Man Alone Ill at Home

Unconscious and suffering from pneumonia symptoms, Richard Adams, 22, was found at his home at 79 North Auburn last Friday by police after neighbors had reported lights and a radio on for two days.

Adams was removed to St. Luke Hospital in Pasadena, where attending physicians report that he is improving and in good condition.



SENDING CLOTHING TO CHILDREN OF EUROPE

Sierra Madre Girl Scouts are preparing to carry out the world friendship relation established by Mrs. Low and have made kits to send to children in Europe. Anyone having children's clothing in good condition may join the Scouts in this International goodwill by leaving the clothing at the American Red Cross Chapter House on South Baldwin. The bundles will be made up of clothing for children of all ages and sent through the Friend's Society.

—Photo by Joe Hinojos

BACK FROM CHICAGO

Mr. and Mrs. Stamp, formerly of South Baldwin Ave., and more recently of Chicago, are back in Sierra Madre living at 53 Suffolk.

KIWANIS HEAR ABOUT ACCOUNTING

Kiwani Club members got a brush-up course in the history of accounting Tuesday noon when a full club appeared to hear E. Eugene Lunsford, Sierra Madre accountant, discuss "Accounting from a Layman's Viewpoint."

Lunsford traced the historical development of accounting, and stated that all present day accountants are still developing and adding to that history. The

club members got a chance to ask questions.

Three hundred volunteer workers completed the extended three-week drive and turned in a grand total of \$3167.93.

The Community Youth Fund is used to support Sierra Madre's youth organizations for the coming year. No individual fund drives are conducted by

the Kiwanis Club.

The Kiwanis Club sponsors the drive each year and the city's youth groups participate.

The captains of this year's drive were: Mrs. Robert Bettencourt, Mrs. Herman Ohs, Mrs. A. E. Morgan, Mrs. H. S. Dowd, Mrs. Mary Haskins, Mrs. Florence Peterson, Mrs. C. Lau, and Hans Gutherz.

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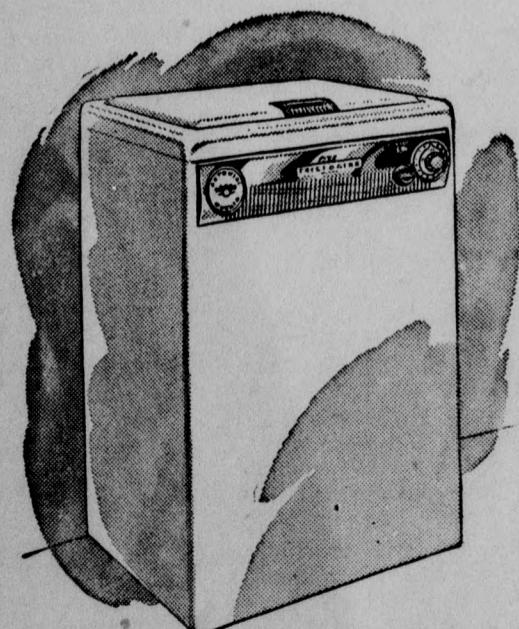
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Unlicensed Dogs to be Jailed

Sierra Madre's 510 licensed dogs are safe (from some things), but any unlicensed dog over six months old kept in the city will be sought out in a canvass to be made by the police department.

"We are going to canvass the city, house to house," said Chief of Police Gordon G. McMillan. "It is now an ordinance violation to have an unlicensed dog and a penalty is due."

License fees were due July 1 and a period of three months was allowed for purchase without penalty. On Oct. 1 a penalty of \$2 on each license went into effect.

All dogs over 6 months old must be licensed, with a fee of \$4 for a female and \$2 for a male. Owners of new dogs are given a 15-day period of grace to declare new ownership.

All unlicensed dogs are urged to urge their owners to visit the police department, pay the fee, and make their residence in Sierra Madre legal.

DOUBLE STORK SHOWERS

While forty lady friends were attending a stork shower for Mrs. John Bush given by Mrs. Eugene Baird (nee Dorothy Moote) at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. D. R. Moote, 689 West Sierra Madre Blvd., recently, the gentlemen were present at a similar affair for Mr. Bush given at the Baird home on Brookside Lane.

A grey traveling suit with pink carnation corsage was worn by Carolyn McLellan when she exchanged vows with Robert York Crockett of Eagle Rock, the morning of October 23 at St. Dominic's Catholic Church in Eagle Rock.

Attending the young couple was the bride's sister, Mrs. Carl Young of Playa-del-Rey and Robert Jones of Eagle Rock.

Mr. and Mrs. James F. McLellan, parents of the bride received over 65 guests at the reception in their home, 697 Sunnyside Lane.

After November 15 Mr. and Mrs. Crockett will be at home at 1517 Linda Rosa, Eagle Rock.

Crockett-McLellan Vows Exchanged In Nearby Church

NATIONAL GUARD RATINGS UPDED

Promotions in the local National Guard recently have been abundant and there are two new enlistments, according to S/Sgt. John S. Wolcott.

Marcus J. Silvers enlisted as a T/Sgt. and Paul C. Worthington enlisted as private.

The promotion roster lists:

Sgt. Augustine Rillorta to S/Sgt.; T/5 advanced to Sgt. include Joseph E. Cox, Richard C. Lambert, Victor Morgan, Joe Edward Vernon and Edward M. DeMars.

Privates promoted to corporal: Donald J. Colbert and Thomas J. Cox, while Pvt. Ralph E. Gosswiller is now T/5.

Private ratings changed to Pfc. are those of: Frank S. Barr, Robert F. Barr, Lazarus Candelaria, Burton R. Elliott, John Graham, Minor Y. Harkness, Clarence R. Kavan, Ernest J. LuVisi, Fidel Sanchez and Jerry Whitehead.

MRS. W. O. PRESTON DIES SUDDENLY

Friends of Mrs. Florence May Preston were deeply saddened to learn of her sudden death Sunday morning, November 7, at Huntington Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. Preston, born in Chicago, Ill., has resided in Sierra Madre 23 years and was a member of the Congregational Church. Other affiliations included the Ben Hur Lodge and Delta Zeta Sorority.

She is survived by her husband, Warren O. Preston and daughter, Mareta Joy Preston, 448 East Montecito; a son, Warren O. Preston Jr. of Azusa; a sister, Mrs. Myrtle J. DeFriel of Bellview, Wash. and two grandchildren.

Services by Grant Chapel, were conducted Tuesday afternoon at the Congregational Church, Rev. Carl Smith, officiating; interment in Live Oak Cemetery.

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DOWNTOWN ART DISPLAY FOR WEEK

Thirteen Sierra Madre artists displayed their work in the windows of downtown stores last week as part of the city's observance of National Art Week.

The paintings were displayed in specially constructed shadow boxes built through the efforts of Mayor and Mrs. Milton Steinberger.

Artists whose work was entered in the display are: Betty Dickerman, Joan Clark, Z. Farrow, Blanche Lupser, Bee Ward, Marcus J. Silvers, Laura Stevenson (deceased), Ruth Thibert, Dale

Wedding Vows
Said In
Las Vegas Today

Today (Thursday) Dorothy A. Griffith and Jack Shearer were married in The Little Church of the West at Las Vegas. They will be at home to many friends at 73 Esperanza after returning from a week at the Last Frontier Hotel at Las Vegas.

Mrs. Shearer is the daughter of the late Mrs. Anne F. Copps and Mr. Shearer, who has a high civic interest as Commander of the Sierra American Legion.

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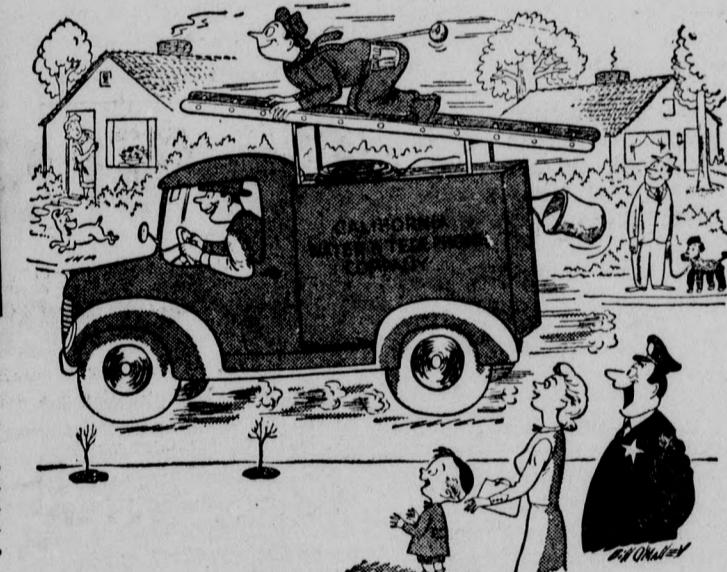
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This work goes on every day, hampered somewhat by the continued shortage of many materials. But our expansion program moves forward at a steady pace and demands for service are being met as fast as possible.



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FUNDS FOR NEW BAND AND XMAS

At the regular meeting of the Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors last Monday, the following matters were decided upon:

The Chamber will supply \$100 to the Sierra Madre Band, and Chamber members were appointed to solicit like contributions from other organizations. The band needs music, a tuba, and other items.

Harold Spears was appointed chairman of a committee responsible for the Christmas decoration of the Pacific Electric station. The directors voted \$350 for this project.

Spears' committee plans a removable rooftop which can be used for decoration yearly and stored between seasons.

Rotary Award Given Local Boys

Rotary awards were received by John Ydren and Tom Henze, Wilson Junior High students from Sierra Madre, last Wednesday. The awards are given for unusual contribution to classes and extra work done outside of school.

The Rotary Club was represented by Blair Nixon, assistant principal at Wilson; George McNeish, Wilson counselor, and Walter Hubner, Rotary Club official. Assistant Principal Mrs. M. A. Magnuson presented the awards.

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Koepke will explain the Federal rent law on such questions as these:

"I just received by 1948-49 tax bill and it shows a large increase over last year. Can I raise my rent to compensate me for this added expense?"

"Is it legal to make a prospective tenant buy furniture to get an apartment?"

"If I rented out a room in my home, could I evict a troublesome tenant?"

"What will happen when my 15% increase lease expires next December 31?"

Questions addressed to Koepke in care of Station KRKD will be answered over the air as fully as time permits, the rent chief promised.

BERKELEY GAME

Carol Rondeau attended the UCLA-Berkeley football game at Berkeley and also visited San Francisco over the weekend, with Theta Phi Alpha sorority sisters from UCLA. Carol is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Rondeau, 59 West Carter.

The board was scheduled for a meet in the school cafeteria, Wednesday morning, at 9:30.

New Stamp Honors Girl Scout Founder



This new three-cent stamp will honor Juliette Gordon Low, who founded the Girl Scouts of America in 1912. Green in color for the "Girls in Green," the stamp features a portrait of the founder. First-day issue sale will be in Savannah, Ga., Oct. 29.

World Plans Theme for PTA Meet

The next P.T.A. meeting will be held Thursday, November 18th at 7:45 P. M. in order to encourage father, as well as mother, attendance. The theme for the evening will be "Taking the World Into Our Plans."

Several films on world understanding and relationship of others to ourselves will be presented. These films are put out by the "Antidefamation League." The meeting will be followed with a social time and refreshments served by the two 5th grade room mothers, Mrs. Thomas Flenniken and Mrs. Harold Drury, assisted by fifth grade mothers.

The board was scheduled for a meet in the school cafeteria, Wednesday morning, at 9:30.

MEN OF SCIENCE

U. S. Air Force consultant, Dr. Howard P. Robertson, 590 North Auburn, leaves today for a week's conference in Washington, D. C. Dr. Robertson is a physics professor at Caltech.

Week end guest at the Robertson home was Dr. Phillip Morse of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

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Dr. Pottenger Will Speak at School Auditorium

The Sierra Madre Civic Club is sponsoring a city wide meeting to open the Tuberculosis Campaign in the city. Mrs. Harold Pangborn, chairman of the educational work announces the first public meeting will be held Tuesday evening, November 14 at 8 p.m. according to James H. Breasted Jr., director of the Museum.

The Speaker will be Dr. Francis M. Pottenger founder of the Pottenger Sanitarium at Monrovia. There will also be a movie on Tuberculosis and the towns people are urged to join in trying to make the community a healthier one.

Book lovers in this area will not want to miss a lecture entitled "Adventures in Book Collecting" to be delivered by Dr. Lawrence Clark Powell, head of the UCLA library, at the Los Angeles County Museum in Exposition Park on Sunday, November 14 at 3 p.m. according to James H. Breasted Jr., director of the Museum.

The lecture is the sixth in the series one given each Sunday afternoon during the fall months. No admission is charged.

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(Gardenfield, 16 cans, 98¢; dozen 1.93)

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(Gardenfield, 16 cans, 98¢; dozen 1.93)

Peaches 24¢

(Castle Crest, sliced or halves, 16 cans, 1.41; dozen 2.75)

Apricots 21¢

(Valley Gold, whole peeled, 16 cans, 1.19; dozen 2.23)

Fruit Cocktail 11¢

(Crest, 16 cans, 63¢; dozen 1.19)

Tomato Juice 19¢

(Sunny, 16 cans, 98¢; dozen 1.21)

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(Golden Crisp, 16 cans, 93¢; dozen 1.60)

Potted Meat 16¢

(Libby, 16 cans, 98¢; dozen 1.60)

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CARL HANSEN IS
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Carl Hansen, owner of the Carl Hansen Ford Agency on Sierra Madre Blvd., has always had "Efficiency and Good Workmanship" as his motto.

He says his own hobby is "hard work—with a little fishing once in a while."

Hansen's Ford Agency has been on Sierra Madre Blvd. for 11 years, moving into the present modern new structure about 2 years ago. The new plant has all modern equipment available for servicing all makes of cars, repainting and body and fender work.

Hansen is well experienced in his work. He has been engaged in agency and selling work for more than 30 years. He entered the field when a young man, working with his father in the same business and later taking over the business himself.

From the Carl Hansen Agency's smaller beginning in Sierra Madre 11 years ago, the present Agency represents a ten-fold increase in business since that time.

Pratts Food Market on W. Sierra Madre Blvd. is presided over by Waverly E. Pratt, a genial and friendly merchant who puts that friendliness into practice in his business.

Shoppers and clerks know each other by their first names, and Pratt likes to have the market known as a "neighborhood affair" where shoppers can meet and do their shopping together.

Pratt came to Sierra Madre in 1923, and has owned his present business since 1945. He managed the Sierra Madre Lumber Co., now E. K. Woods, for 10 years. He was City Clerk for more than 13 years.

He is an active member of the Lions Club and is a member of the Board of Directors.

Pratt's "only hobby" has been softball. Before the game was organized in Sierra Madre, he drove to Long Beach to play with a team. When the sport became more popular here, he played regularly until the men's teams were disbanded in 1938.

When asked if he'd like to start in again, his reply was, "Nope. I put in 20 years at it. I guess that's enough."

PRATTS FOOD MARKET
IS "NEIGHBOR"



HARTMAN IS ALSO
CRACK PHOTOMAN



given to the city and its people.

Hartman has been associated with Hartman's Pharmacy at 29 N. Baldwin since 1916 and has been sole owner since 1939.

Rudy Hartman has always stood ready to give help and comfort to anyone in need. Families involved with illness have gotten immeasurable comfort from talking to him, and he has explained the value of countless bewildering prescriptions.

Hartman's hobby is photography, all phases. (Mrs. Hartman holds her own in the same field.) He keeps abreast of all new developments so that he may give the customers of his superior photography department consultant service as well as the best in supplies.

Since this is election year, Hartman recalls his year of "Presidentitis" when he was School Board President (one of 9 terms). President of Sunkist Merchandise Masters of Sierra Madre Masonic Lodge, and President of California and Arizona Rexall Clubs.

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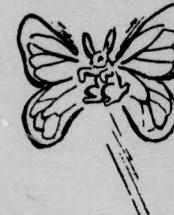
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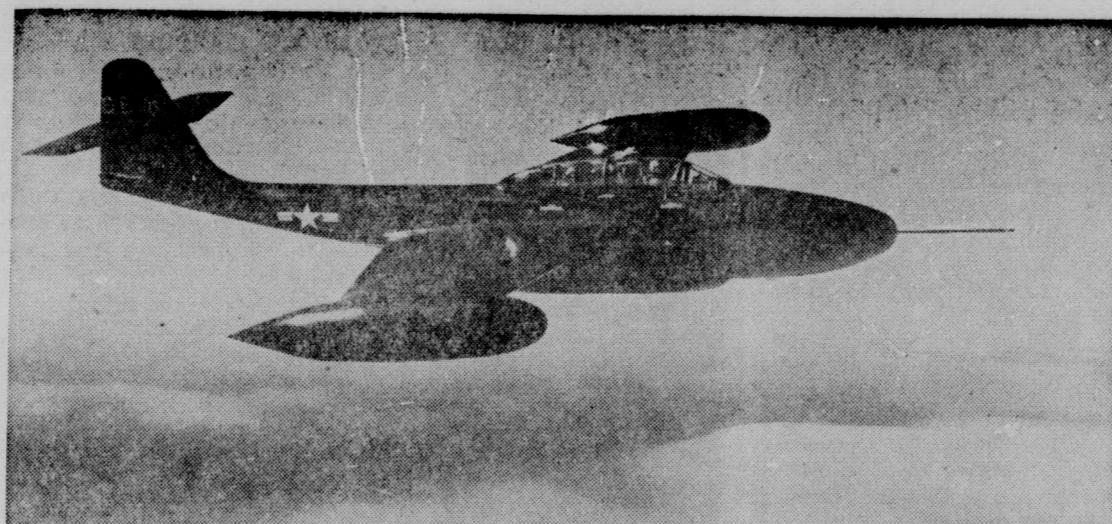
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Slicing through Southern California skies is the Northrop XF-89, the Air Force's new high speed "blue ribbon" experimental all-weather fighter. This first flight photo shows the twin-jet XF-89 sweeping high over the desert while on a test flight from Muroc Air Force Base. Equipped with eerie X-ray "eyes" that enable it to penetrate darkness, fog and storms, the XF-89 set a precedent on Air Force Day when Northrop Test Pilot Fred Bretcher put it through its paces over Burbank Air Terminal only 24 hours after General Muir S. Fairchild had disclosed its existence. Ordinarily military airplanes are not demonstrated to the public until months after they have been announced. The XF-89 is manned by a crew of two, pilot and radar observer, and is equipped with ejection seats for emergency bail out. Its wafer-thin wings hint at its high-speed potential.

VISTA VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. F. D. R. Moote, 689 West Sierra Madre Blvd., spent the week end with their daughter and family, Dr. and Mrs. Graeme C. Smith of Vista.

FIRE FLAMES

As this is being written, our hills to the north and east are shrouded with a veil of dust from the winds of Santa Ana Canyon district. The fire there that was about to be controlled, tore loose fanned by the 60-mile-an-hour wind. There is little that can be done under such conditions. Just look on and hope that some idea or element will develop. We must provide safety measures before such a fire reaches us. Those of us who live close to the hills are obligated to keep clearance to stop fire if possible. Where it can be done, hose should always be handy for the use of those who might discover a small fire starting. The value of a garden hose and the night police patrol was well displayed when a car afire (unbeknown to its owner) was extinguished before great damage was done. Officers Bill Chunn and "Tex" Gotcher arrived at the scene and went to work. Much credit is due them for their immediate action and for the low damage. It was a well impressed lesson to all of us. For awhile at least, we will be much more careful before storing the car in the garage, especially those of us whose garages are directly connected with our sleeping quarters. Something always happens when we become careless. (And that applies to the most of us.)

be a "Word to the Wise."

We are asking folks to be extra careful now. Despite the month of the year, we are still under the direct influence of low humidity and wind, together with very, very dry conditions all about us. Please DO NOT burn in the open without first consulting some member of the fire department. We urge this. We must all realize that our city has grown tremendously in the last few years. We no longer have the open fields to break fires we once had. We cannot take the chance with fire that we might have done in the far past. We just have to remember that houses built close together are just as apt to get beyond control in a strong gale as the mountain brush. The difference there would be easily seen. The brush would be replaced by a natural growth, but once your home is gone, the many treasures are gone with it. Most fires start small and if we were all prepared by having on hand some sort of first aid fire equipment, it is certain that many disastrous fires would be prevented. There are numerous ways to stop small fires. By this, we do not mean for you to expose your self to danger by getting too close while wearing inflammable attire. By all means get word to the fire department. Fire must have air and fuel. Remove the fuel. If there are many articles piled about that are not being used, they should be sorted and the useless thrown away for scrap. When "Bob" Thomas moved

on into the "Twenty Circle" of the Fire Department, Lewis George replaced him on the Auxiliary list. "Lewy" is employed at the Sierra Madre Hardware Store where he will be close to the station when the horn blows daytime. The men of the hardware store have willingly agreed that he should attend fire calls. To them, the men of the fire department, are very grateful. It is a great advantage to have men near the station. It is also of great importance to the residents of the

THURSDAY, NOV. 11, 1948

DR. VALOIS
BUILDS HOME

The new home planned by Dr. and Mrs. Milton Valois was started Tuesday and when completed the family will move here from Pasadena. The new house is on Bonita Ave. near the Bob Dodge property.

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DICKENS FELLOWSHIP

Mrs. R. C. Lewis and Mrs. Harry Pridi will read from "Pickwick Papers" when the Dickens Fellowship meets Thursday, Nov. 18, at 2 p.m., at the home of Miss Martha Pritchard, 121 East Alegria.



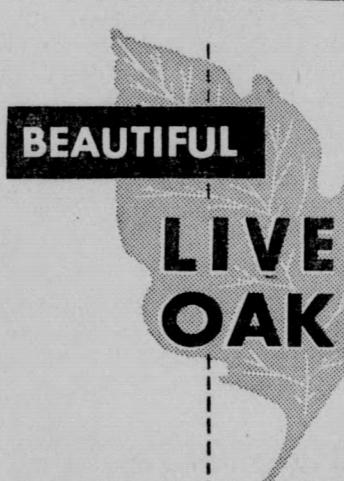
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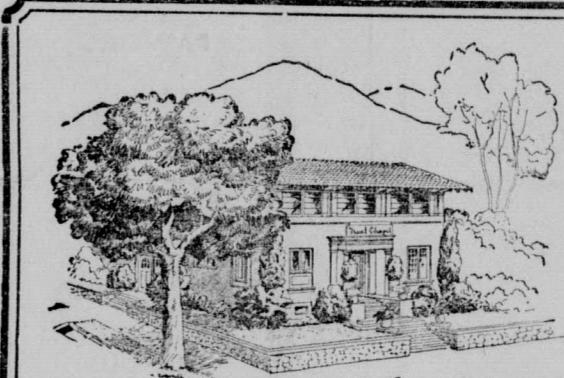
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SMARTEST SUITS that have come out this season are from Hollywood Knitting Mills . . . for boys and girls. There are plaids and beautiful solid colors . . . and combinations with the jacket plaid and the skirt or slacks solid, and so on. And the materials! They're 100% virgin wool, woven from yarns that have been processed . . . no stretch or sag. They seem to shed dirt, too. Boys' sizes are 2 to 6x—\$12.95. Girls' sizes 2 to 6x are 14.95, and sizes 7 to 14 are 16.95.

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FUZZY TOPPED bed slippers arrived this week, too. Light blue, pink, red and royal . . . 2.95.

THE BOYS all like the new Don Carlos Jr. "ski" shirts. They're heavy oxford cloth sport shirts, with colorful ski patterns. Sizes are 4 to 14 . . . 3.95.

TOYS AND GIFTS FOR CHRISTMAS are coming in every day now, and many of our early bird customers are taking their pick and laying them away with a deposit. If you dread the December shopping crowds why don't you come in this week while we're still in our right minds and can help you the way we like to?

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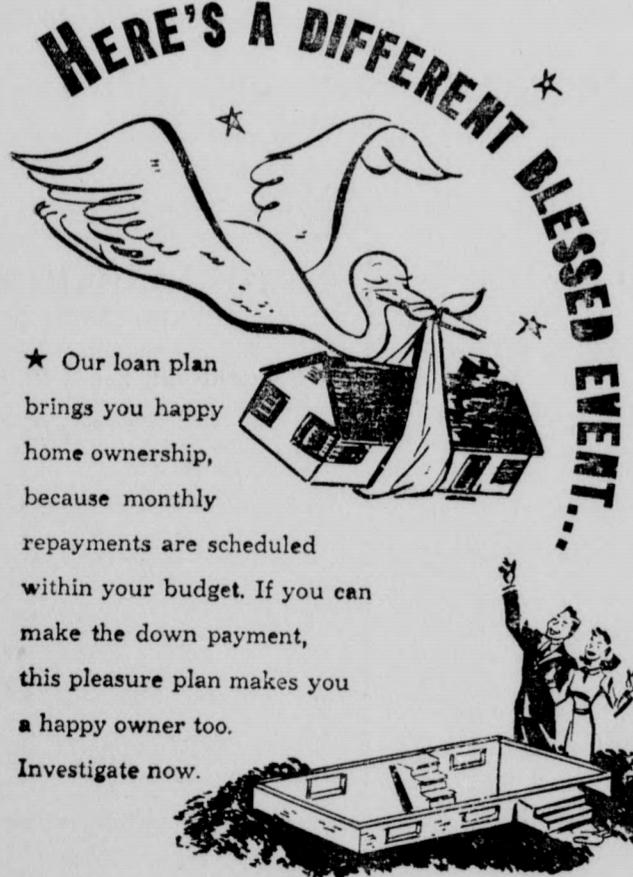
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The Parkview Lockers feature all types of frozen foods and especially fine quality meats.

Holy Name Annual Pilgrimage Next Sunday at Calvary

Holy Name members representing 221 Holy Name Societies of the Archdiocese of Los Angeles, will make their Eighth Annual Memorial Pilgrimage to Calvary Cemetery, 4201 Whittier Boulevard, Sunday, November 14, 1948, according to an announcement by Paul F. Conway, Chairman of the Committee.

The occasion is dedicated to the memory of the deceased Clergy and Religious Orders of the Archdiocese, those who served in the armed forces and all departed members of the Holy Name Societies in Southern California.

Services will consist of the fourteen Stations of the Cross, Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament in the chapel of the mausoleum followed by military salute, at the entrance to the mausoleum, by a detail of Catholic War Veterans.

Each society will have Holy Name Banner and American Flag, and its members, families and friends will assemble under colors.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gain and family of three children were Sunday guests of their aunt, Mrs. Fannie See.

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LOCAL FLOWERS IN PASADENA EXHIBIT

Professional, amateur and commercial flower displays from Sierra Madre were shown at the Pasadena Flower Exhibit, Brookside Park, last week.

A silver medal, (second highest award) was given Loren Pratt of the Southern California Greenhouse Company and Cloyd Marshall of Marshall's Nursery, for their co-operative show of tropical plants and flowers.

George Black, 477 North Baldwin, displayed cascades of colored chrysanthemums in the Amateur section.

A patio arrangement of succulents was exhibited by C. Jacques Hahn, professional landscape architect.

AT COVINA HOSPITAL

Harry E. Norwood of 301 N. Baldwin Ave. is making satisfactory recovery at the Covina Hospital where he is a surgical patient. Mr. Norwood entered the hospital last Wednesday evening.

LEGAL NOTICE

CERTIFICATE OF BUSINESS Fictitious Firm Name

The undersigned do hereby certify that they are conducting a Machine Shop business at 70 East Montecito City of Sierra Madre County of Los Angeles, State of California, under the fictitious firm name of R. M. Leonard Co., and that said firm is composed of the following persons, whose names and addresses are as follows, to wit:

Mrs. Evelyn M. Leonard and Robert M. Leonard, 17 North Mt. Trail, Sierra Madre.

Witness my hand this 8th day of November, 1948.

Robert M. Leonard, Evelyn M. Leonard, State of California, County of Los Angeles, ss.

On this 8th day of November, A. D., 1948, before me T. W. Neale, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, residing therein duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared:

Robert M. Leonard, Evelyn M. Leonard, known to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal the day and year in this certificate first above written.

(SEAL)
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BENEFIT BANQUET

St. Catherine's Guild of Ascension Church held their annual benefit dinner, with over 150 attending, at the Parish Hall Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Martha Perry, Guild president, was head of the committee in charge of dinner preparations.

FORMER RESIDENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Remington Stone, 321 East Grandview, spent the week-end at Vista, visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hanna, former Sierra Madreans.

HOSPITAL GROUP MEET

A group of 15 Civic Club members and others met last night at the home of Mrs. Robert E. Summers, 671 W. Orange Grove to discuss the progress in organizing the local Guild of the Children's Hospital.

MARINERS GIVE MEXICAN DINNER

A delicious Mexican supper and charming Mexican decorations were the theme of the November meeting of the Mariners Club of Bethany Church. Ward Wallace of Monrovia showed colored pictures of his recent trip to Mexico, Central and South America. Committee in charge was Evelyn and Clarence Schreuer, Beverly and Roy Edwards, and Alma and Bill Spargur.

Mariners is a newly formed organization for young married couples. At the meeting in October officers were installed and 42 charter members initiated. Officers: Skipper, John and Betty Bush; First Mate, Henry and Lois Childers; Log-keeper, Bill and Frances Edwards; Purser, David and Lois Sheriff.

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FALL TRIP THROUGH THE NORTHWEST

Capt. and Mrs. E. G. Everett have returned from a two-week trip to Seattle, Wash. They were accompanied by Mrs. Carolyn Campin, who is remaining for an extended visit with her niece.

Capt. Everett lived many years in Seattle and states that he is amazed to witness the growth all through the Northwest. The Everetts came home by Shasta Dam which is at an alarmingly low level. Other points of interest included Multnomah Falls, The Dalles, Klamath Falls and a snow flurry.

FLY'S FROM MICHIGAN FOR BIRTHDAY PARTY

Miss Elsie Ann Ward of Saginaw, Michigan, made a United Airways visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford C. Ward of West Grandview last week.

Miss Ward, a graduate of U.C.L.A., has an executive position with the Michigan Bell at Saginaw and lives at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Rockwell Kempton. (Mrs. Kempton is a sister of Mrs. Ward and has been a frequent visitor in Sierra Madre.)

NEW MEMBERSHIP AT BETHANY

Bethany Church experienced a red letter day last Sunday when 16 young people became members of the church. The pastor, Clarence Nida, has many plans for the church advancement this year, especially in the young people's groups.

EPISCOPAL MOTHERS MEET

Members of the Ascension Mother's Club meeting at the Parish House, yesterday (Nov. 10), were given a talk on health by Mrs. Isabel Urch, district nurse from Monrovia.

Hostesses were Mrs. Robert Archibald and Mrs. Celeste Bains.

Storkland News

A seven-pound, one-ounce son arrived at St. Luke Hospital November 4 for Mr. and Mrs. Sam Davis, 115 East Montecito.

ELECTION DAY AT GREENSBORO

Mr. Robertson was at the home of his sister in Greensboro on election day, which turned out to be a revelation to him. His sister asked him to accompany her to the election booth. The lines formed four abreast and he said it averaged one white person to ten colored.

He said this condition was responsible for few white people casting their ballot.

The postmaster made the trip by air and experienced for the first time having breakfast with his relatives in Greenboro, N.C., and dinner with his family in Los Angeles.

ARIZONA STAY

Mrs. W. S. Hull, 542 West Montecito, left Saturday for an extended visit with her son, Charles Hull, and family in Kingman, Arizona.

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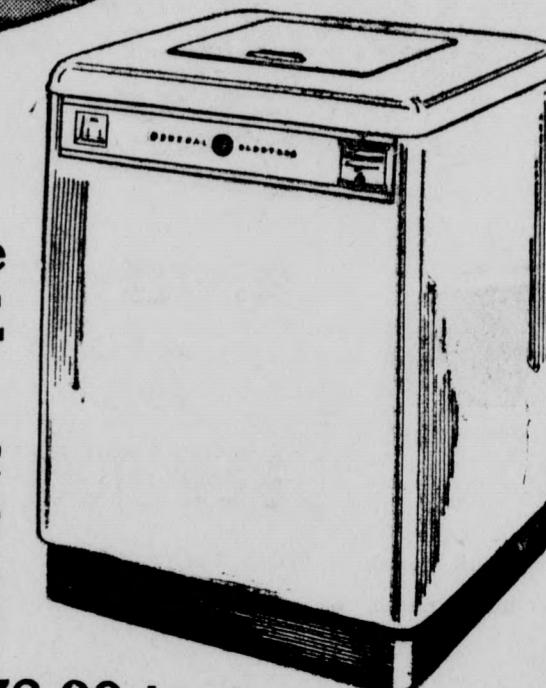
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Jorge Bolet Opens Community Concert Local Season

The Sierra Madre Community Concert Association opens its winter series with the well known Cuban pianist, Jorge Bolet next Wednesday evening, November 17, in the School Auditorium, 8:15.

Mr. Bolet has been a favorite when he appeared with major orchestras here and abroad and his Latin-American tour was considered a great success. His Carnegie Hall Annual recital is always a "must."

Local membership cards will be mailed to purchasers of the series very shortly which will be used as admission for the concerts. No individual tickets are available.

Garaged Car Burns In Midnight Fire

Fire in the rear seat of an automobile belonging to Louis R. Rondeau, 59 West Carter, brought police officers and fire fighters out on 1 a.m. calls last Friday.

Smoke was reported in the neighborhood by Earl C. Morris, 44 West Carter, but the source was unknown.

Police Officers Chunn and Gotcher found the fire in the automobile in the garage at the Rondeau residence, pushed the car from the garage and removed the burning upholstery.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Campbell of Texas, formerly of Sierra Madre, were in the city Monday hoping to find a place to live. Mr. and Mrs. Nichols of Long Beach, well known here, were also in the city for the same purpose.



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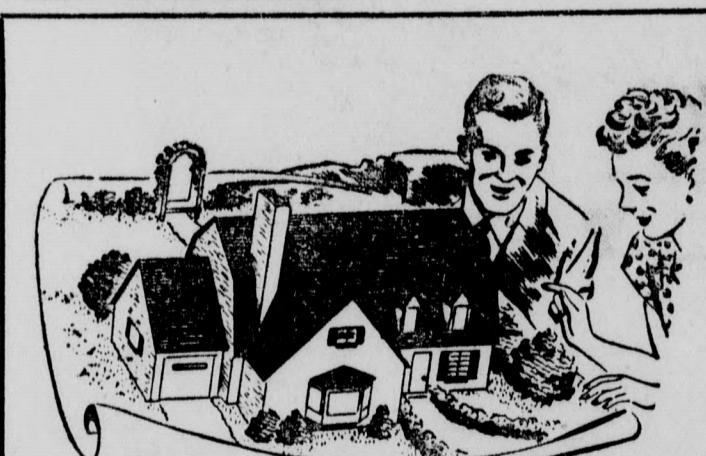
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Sanitation Classes Planned for Area

Classes in restaurant sanitation will be held in December for those people who serve the public's meals. Schedule includes every community in Los Angeles county, according to Paul Ballinger, director of the bureau of sanitation for the Los Angeles county health department.

The meeting scheduled for Monday, November 15 will be the last meeting under the present administration.

NEW SAND BOX FOR NURSERY KIDDIES

New beach sand and concrete base has made the sandbox a more enjoyable place for Nursery School children to dig and build.

A crew of school fathers, Joe Hansford, Ted Hurley, Farrell Quigley and Sanford Ullman, called together by Mrs. Austin T. Hurley of the equipment committee, laid the slab and refilled the sandbox Saturday afternoon, with the help of Melvin Goodsell, local contractor.

OUT OF DANGER

Irene Alderdice, 7, is home from St. Luke Hospital, after a severe bout with tetanus, and is reported out of danger.

She was taken to the hospital last Thursday and given tetanus shots as well as penicillin.

Irene is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Alderdice, 595 Acacia.

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Eastern Star Officers To Hold Last Meeting

Officers of the Sierra Madre Chapter of the Eastern Star held their annual dinner meeting last Monday evening at the Masonic Lodge Hall. Honor guests were Judge John C. Mead, and husbands of Star members.

The meeting scheduled for Monday, November 15 will be the last meeting under the present administration.

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Bluebird Tea For Blue Bonnet Group

Lt. John Shippey is in Marburg, Germany, according to a letter written to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Shippey. Lt. Shippey flew from New York recently.

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Pretty Pictures!

Fear of fire in Sierra Madre is accentuated. It is a natural reaction to the potential firebrand which the foothills represent.

A conflagration, touched off by a mere spark, could sweep up the mountainside. It could easily shoot uncontrolled into the Canyon area where hundreds of people live. It could envelop the Terrace district. It could snap up all the homes on the northern fringe of the city. It could bare the ground for destructive winter floods.

All this, of course, is self evident. This newspaper has said it before, and it will say it many times again.

The danger exists!

This newspaper has warned of the danger of negligence—a carelessly flicked cigarette, a match dropped thoughtlessly.

During the past summer this newspaper also warned of the danger existent in vandalism.

But vandals take no heed of newspaper editorials.

Fires have always been a grave danger in Southern California. Sierra Madre has not been directly threatened by mountain fire since 1928. But it may happen tomorrow. It may happen next season—or ten seasons from now. Damage may match some of the county's past disasters. Look over the record. Remember, it could happen here.

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SOUTHLAND HISTORY SPARKED WITH FIRE

1927 VERDUGO HILLS

This Sunset fire burned over 4600 acres. After five days it was put out, but damage exceeded \$1,743,000.

1927 PINE CANYON

East of Gorman 16,000 acres were ravaged. It burned for 12 days. Damage outside the National Forest area: \$1,175,500.

1928 RIDGE ROUTE

The U. S. Forest Service reported 25,040 acres burned, the County, 14,320. Burned for 12 days. Damage in county: \$1,675,000.

1930 POTRERO (MALIBU)

This Malibu fire burned for more than 11 days. It scorched over 6949 acres and did \$1,223,000 worth of damage.

1933 PICKINS CANYON

This was the famous La Crescenta fire. It burned for 15 days. Damage to homes and watershed amounted to \$500,000. Nearly 5000 acres were burned. But that was not all. When the winter rains came, flood waters poured down off the bare hills. Hundreds of homes were lost. There were 44 persons killed. Damage from flood: \$5,000,000.

1935 SHERWOOD LAKE

This fire cut over 27,600 acres of land. It burned for seven days. Cost: \$1,080,000.

1936 COLD CREEK

Damage: \$660,000. Burned over: 2,591 acres. Hundreds of men fought for 13 days to subdue it.

1938 TOPANGA

Damage to 4300 acres of watershed in the county amounted to \$1,075,000. Another 12,200 acres in Los Angeles City were burned over. Homes valued at \$226,401 were destroyed. Time: 6 days.

1940 TOWNSLEY (NEWHALL)

Damage amounted to \$1,570,000. More than 6,610 acres were laid bare. The fire lasted 9½ days.

1942 LAS FLORES (TOPANGA)

Another Topanga fire in which 5,924 acres were burned over. Damage estimated at \$1,481,000 to watershed and \$145,853 lost in homes.

1943 WOODLAND HILLS

Homes valued at \$420,701 were lost. Damage to watershed placed at \$3,755,000—15,300 acres. Ten days to subdue.

1948 TOPANGA

Topanga again. A hundred homes lost. Hundreds homeless. Damage may reach \$500,000. More than 3000 acres burned. AND STILL BURNING.

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TOPANGA: As hundreds were left homeless across the seared ridges and canyons of familiar mountain slopes, the dread fear of flood came to live with the people who want to rebuild on their scorched land. Bare slopes hold no water, boulders dislodge, chaos can descend with the first heavy rains. Can it happen here?



THIS WEEK: The deadly fingers of fire reached out into a neighboring mountain area to take lives and wreak devastation upon the Topanga Canyon community. Houses burned like cardboard and property losses ranged into astronomical figures. Could it happen here?



DAMAGE: Millions of dollars in personal and real property were lost last week as Topanga residents counted the toll. Thus the circle of fire was completed from a carelessly dropped cigarette to cold ruins of homes. It could happen here.

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HEASLEY ISSUES FIRE WARNING

Prompted by the immediate and serious fire hazard existing in the entire area, Sierra Madre Fire Chief James C. Heasley today issued the following warning.

All residents are urged to read and obey.

Because of the EXTREME FIRE DANGER, residents are asked to withhold any open burning of rubbish or trimmings. Incinerators should be thoroughly inspected for defects. Be certain that the screen is adequate and well placed.

Do all burning of papers in your incinerator during the early morning hours. Our hillsides are as powder and the slightest spark can set them on fire. Once started, much damage is done before suppressed. Those close to the brush area MUST be cautious. A house fire will send embers high and far.

Have all flues and vents cleaned for better draft. Check furnaces. Remove rubbish from the basement.

Inspect the fuse box. Use only 15 Ampere fuses that bear the approval of Underwriters Laboratories and keep a supply of them handy. If your electric wiring is frayed, have it repaired, or replaced.

Don't use too many appliances on one circuit. Get out the metal screen for the fireplace. Be sure that there are enough ash trays about the house. Learn the quickest way to call the fire department and see that every member of the family knows, too. Call CU. 5-3322 or ask the telephone operator for the fire department. In case of fire, get every one out of the house, and call the fire department.



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Third Grade Wins PTA Prizes

Prizes for rounding up the most members during the recent PTA Membership Drive were announced by Chairman, Mrs. Clyde Hooper, at the Grammar School assembly, Friday.

Beside winning first prize of \$10 for a 221 per cent membership, the Third grade won the special prize for a 95 per cent men's membership. Third grade teacher is Mrs. Dorothy Baird.

Second prize of \$5 went to the First grade, teacher Mrs. Abby Pascoe, for a 200 per cent membership.

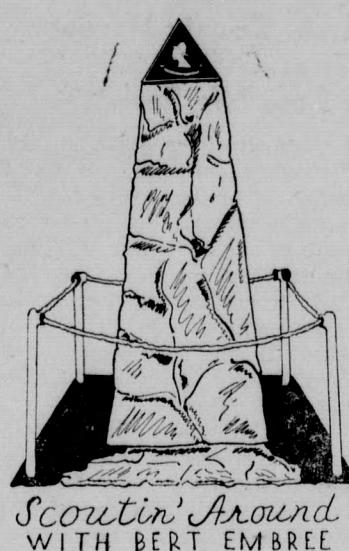
At this same assembly, the new Safety Committee was installed by Mrs. Vivien Olson. The Safety Committee, which has operated in public schools for many years, assists children on the school grounds and in halls. Each grade is represented by a Safety member who serves for one month.

OMAHA VISITOR

Luncheon guest last Thursday at the W. F. MacNeill home, 336 Sycamore Place was Miss Edith Borg of Omaha, Neb. Miss Borg is with the Personal Relations Department of the Bell Telephone Company.

KIWANIS BOARD MEETING

A routine meeting of the Kiwanis Board was held Thursday evening at the home of Dr. M. H. A. Peterson, 417 East Montecito.



POLICE BLOTTER

A dog astray, a light not lit, a family fray, a fire permit... A boy went hiking up the trail, strayed too far from the guard rail—lost his footing at the side, fell over the cliff, a costly slide. Police were called, they called McCloud, to bring him down—took quite a crowd. The tumbling fall was not a gulf, the poor boy had a broken wrist... Stolen lumber, stolen bike, missing mail box and the like. A check upon the radio lay, waiting for someone to pay—but when the owner came that day, the check had disappeared somehow.

A woman driver, driving east, was much annoyed by a "beast," when she drove right, then he drove right—his action promulgated fight... A local boy once owned a car, and sold it to someone afar—quite glad was he that it was sold, the car's in trouble, he's been told... Loud radio, a fire permit, a radio a car does hit... Rhodes is assigned to investigate possible "dead body." A man, the victim of heart attack, was pronounced dead by the doctor.

Within a crosswalk, someone parked, Bill Chunn and Bird were called, altho' the police car honked and harked, they heard no answer bawled... A family fray, for Chunn and Bird—who never tell just what they heard...

The police and fire department is warned of the low humidity and asked to be alert for fire... John McKinley had jacket, took it to the park, put it on his tennis racquet, then it got too dark... Chunn and Gotcher heard a call, someone saw the smoke, when they got there on the ball, they found it was no joke. A car parked smugly in its stall was belching forth a smog, the smoke was getting in the hall, enough to cure a hog... Brooch lost and found... Watchful neighbors miss a young man from his yard. Police are called and found the youth stricken and alone. Rushed to the hospital by ambulance on doctor's orders...

When a little girl's neighbor picked her up at school, a very young boy and very young girl reported that she had been picked up by other than her "daddy." Immediate investigation proved the above. (It is not advisable to pick up children other than your own at any time or place.)

Field glasses left at the park. Found by Mr. Lauber, the park manager... A motorcyclist drives up Wilson Trail. If this continues, we can expect to be called to bring along the stretcher... Prowler... A Monrovia resident reported that she almost wrecked her car here. She didn't know where.

Stolen radio. Recovered... Shirts stolen from car... Small rubbish fire... Stray cats... A request from San Bernardino Police. Investigation... Car at the "turn around," lost collector's book, street lights out, stray dog and too many to "numerous to mention."

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LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE TO CREDITORS No. 288459

Estate of Mary R. Spurgeon, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned administrator of the estate of said deceased, to the Creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to present them with the necessary vouchers, within six months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator at the office of Noren Eaton, 66 W. Sierra Madre Blvd., City of Sierra Madre, County of Los Angeles, State of California, which said office the undersigned selects as a place of business in all matters connected with said estate, or to file them with the necessary vouchers, within six months after the first publication of this notice, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles.

Dated: October 15, 1948.
Cynthia S. Brundstad,
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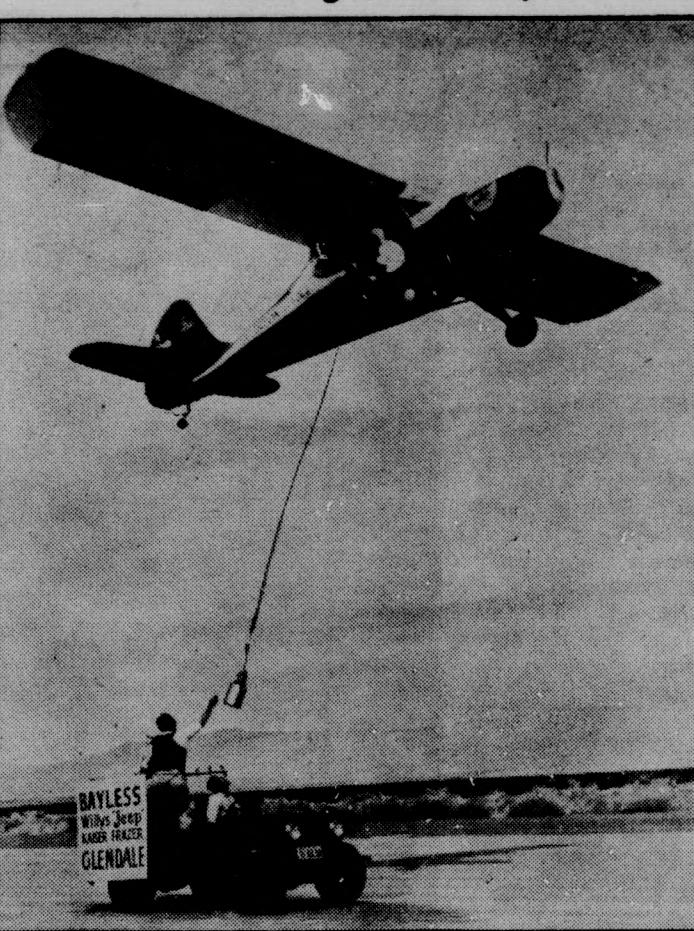
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The ground crew, speeding at 75 miles per hour, sends up a three-gallon can of gas to endurance flyers Dick Riedel and Bill Barris over the Palm Springs, Calif., airport. Riedel is seen in the doorway of the plane. The flyers were forced down by engine trouble in their first effort to break the world's endurance mark, but hope now to remain aloft for 42 days.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
BEFORE THE PLANNING
COMMISSION OF THE CITY
OF SIERRA MADRE FOR AN
AMENDMENT TO ORDIN-
ANCE NO. 391 OF SAID
CITY.

Notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be held by the Planning Commission of the City of Sierra Madre on Thursday, November 18, 1948, at 8:00 p.m. in the Council Room of the City Hall of Sierra Madre, for the purpose of hearing evidence, objections or arguments for or against a proposed change or amendment in Ordinance No. 391, the Land Use or Zoning Ordinance of the City of Sierra Madre.

The matter to be considered is a change or a reclassification of the property described as follows:

Portions of Lots 35 and 36 and all of Lot 37 of the C. B. Jones Subdivision of the Sierra Madre Tract; Lot 2 of Cook's Subdivision of the Sierra Madre Tract; and Portions of Lots 1, 2 and 3, and all of Lots 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9 of the Sierra Vista Tract;

which real property is located on the south side of Montecito Avenue between Auburn Avenue and Hermosa Avenue in the City of Sierra Madre.

A portion of said real property is now classified as an R-1 (Single Family) residence district and a portion of said described real property is now classified as an R-2 (Two Family) residence district and it is proposed that the ordinance of the City of Sierra Madre be amended to reclassify said property as an R-3 (Multiple Family) residence district.

Any interested person may appear either in person or by an agent or representative, at said public hearing and be heard.

THE PLANNING COMMISSION
OF THE CITY OF
SIERRA MADRE
By Webster Vanner,
Secretary.

RESIDENT PASSES

Final rites for Miss Isabel Whelan were conducted by Frances Speyer of San Francisco, at Grant Chapel, Friday morning. Miss Whelan passed away Wednesday, November 3 at her home, 220 North Mountain Trail.

A sister of the late Dr. William Whelan of this city, she has lived here the past 12 years.

Surviving is a sister, Mrs. Dorothy Cole, also of North Mountain Trail.

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James Jerome Donnelly, 52, 196 West Montecito, died suddenly at his home November 3. A native of Longford, Ireland, he came to this country in 1922 and has resided in Sierra Madre 15 years.

His only surviving relative is a sister, Mrs. Elizabeth McNerney of Newhall.

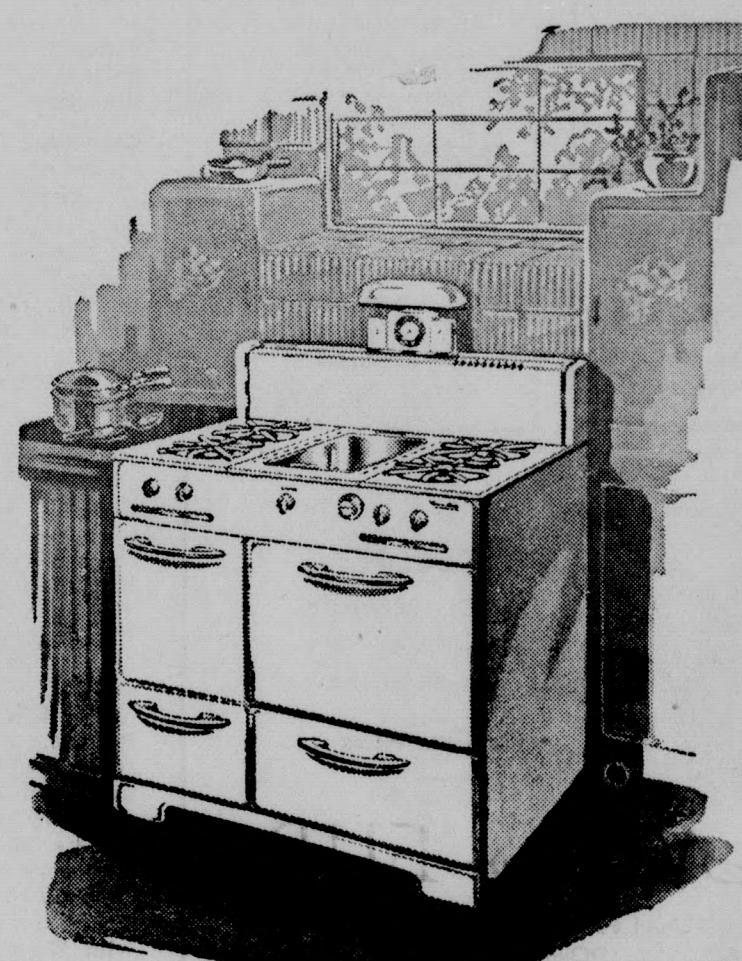
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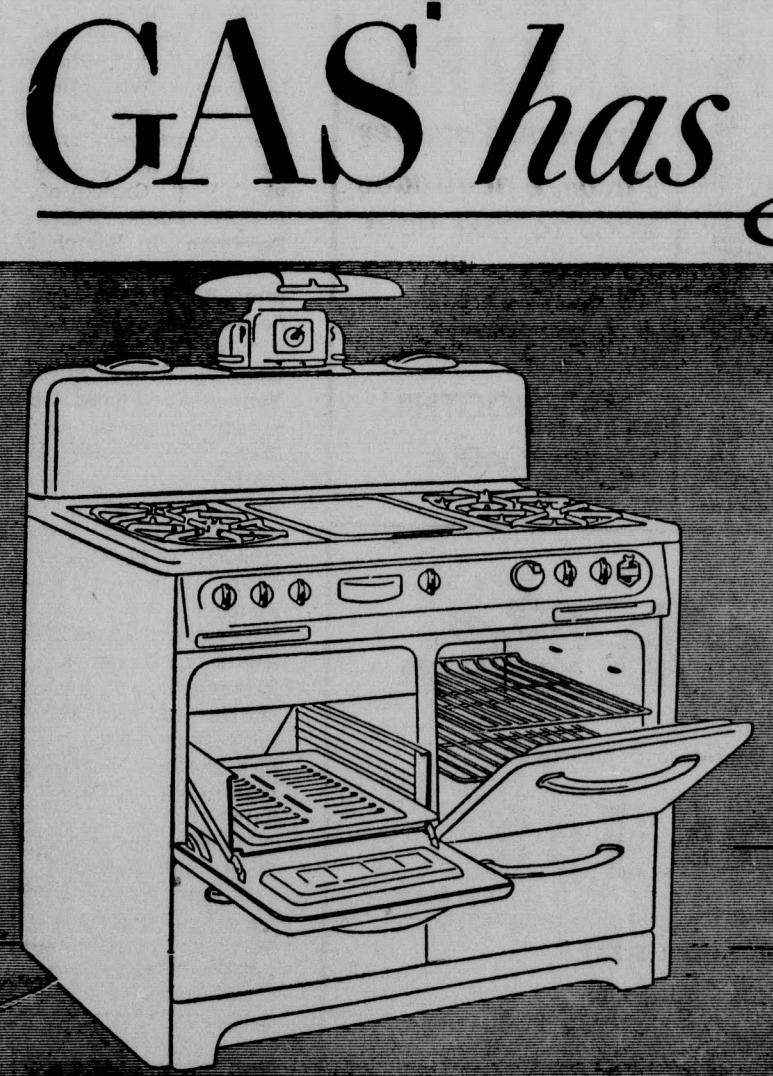
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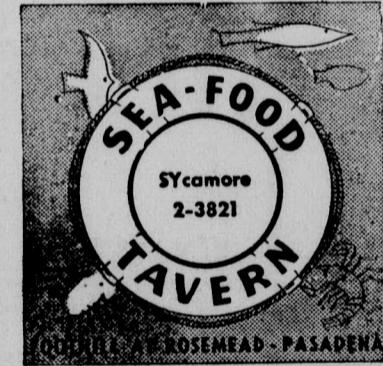
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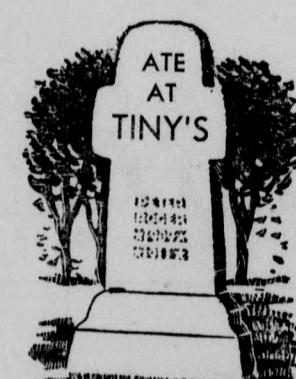
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MONDAY, NOVEMBER 15

Jussi Bjoerling, tenor, offers operatic arias of Rimsky-Korsakov and Bizet, plus Tosti and Giehl songs, on the Telephone Hour Monday night. French pianist-composer Francis Poulen plays his own "Concerto Champetre" with Mitropoulos and the New York Philharmonic Sunday. Brahms' delightful "Liebeslieder Waltzer" will be sung by a 17-voice chorus conducted by Walter Preston on Toscanini's fourth Brahms concert with the NBC Symphony, Saturday. Duo-pianists Artur Balsam and Joseph Kahn assist the chorus.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 13

(4:30-5:30 PM KFI) Toscanini and NBC Symphony with Preston chorus and duo-pianists in all-Brahms. Besides the "Liebeslieder Waltzer" and "Concerto in A Minor for Violin and Cello" will be heard, with Mischa Maischakoff, concertmaster, and Frank Miller, first cellist, as soloists.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 14

(10:15-7:45 AM KNX) Organist E. Power Biggs plays a group of early English organ works by John Dunstable, Thomas Tallis and John Bull.

(8:30-9:00 AM KNX) Music from Mendelssohn's "Elijah" is sung by Salt Lake Tabernacle Choir.

(1:00-2:30 PM KNX) Francis Poulen, pianist, in his own "Concerto Champetre" with Dmitri and New York Philharmonic Symphony Orchestra plays Tchaikovsky's "Fifth Symphony in E Minor."

(9:30-10:30 PM KFI) Standard Hour broadcasts from Oregon with Werner Janssen and the Portland Symphony. Rosalind

Back in 1932 Aldous Huxley wrote a richly inventive satire "Brave New World." Keyed to depression days, it attacked complacency and indifference, delighted a lot of people, irritated others. Since then another war has been fought and the atom bomb above Hiroshima has reduced mankind, according to Mr. Huxley, below the level of animals. In his latest book, "Ape and Essence," he sets out to present us with a picture of what American life and love may be like in the 22nd century.

For a hundred years the world of his tale has laid in radioactive ruins. The few survivors of atomic warfare have become so brutalized that any resemblance to what we now call a human being, is purely coincidental. The women bear monstrously deformed infants, the men slaughter the monsters as soon as born, and they live mostly by robbing the graves of their 20th century ancestors. Some passages of the book are lighted by Huxleyan humor, but one is shocked in its reading; shocked not because of its cold horror, but because Mr. Huxley wrote it at all. Is he haunted by his own dark foreboding at what he believes is in store for us all that he can feel only resignation to evil? All thoughtful men and women of our time are concerned with the future. But concern is only part of it—there is faith, too, a living, vital faith in the significance of human life, not in its decline and fall.

"The Washbournes of Otterley," by Humphrey Pakington, is a book from another pen! Mr. Pakington is content to let other writers shock or outrage while he goes on turning out nostalgic novels symbolic of times of security and tradition. This last novel is by turns funny, amusing, touching. He pictures life in Victorian England with irony, but always with affection, its absurdities, its dignities, its charm.

Other books at the library are: Non-fiction; Plague and I, MacDonald; White House Diary, Nesbitt; Craft of the Short Story, Summers; Christian Outlook, Latourette; Road to Survival, Vogt; Growth of Physical Science, Jeans; Westward Ha!, Perelman; In Search of South Africa, Morton; Southern Empire; Brazil, Harding; Green Seas and White Ice, MacMillan; City-Makers, Nadeau; Apache Gold and Yaqui Silver, Dobie; Yankee Auctioneer, Bean; John Studebaker, Corle; President is Many Men, Smith; What the People Want, Arnall; Being an American, Douglas.

Fiction: Heart of the Matter, Greene; Wild Country, Bromfield; Roanoke Hundred, Fletcher; Walk in Darkness, Habe; Secret Thread, Vance; No Highway, Shute; Big Freeze, Partridge; Old Beauty and Others, Cather; Remembrance Rock, Sandburg; Wonderful Mrs. Ingram, Ware; Big Fisherman, Douglas; Catalina, Maugham.

Mystery stories by Dickson, Stout, and Queen.

During the month 4065 books were loaned for home reading. Forty new patrons registered for borrower's privileges.

MIDDLETON'S VISIT MATTHEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Edward A. Middleton Jr. of Washington, D. C., were guests last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ransom Matthews, 186 Grove.

Judy and the Giant



Judy Simon, 6, of Chicago, inspects this giant sunflower at the home of her grandparents in Westmont, Ill. The flower measures 17½ inches in diameter and has a four-inch stem at the base. It apparently bloomed from a seed planted in 1947.

MIRIAM HOPKINS APPEARING AT BILTMORE

Lovers of stage comedy will be happy to know that Anita Loos' play, "Happy Birthday," with Miriam Hopkins starred, is playing at the Biltmore Theatre, Los Angeles until Nov. 27.

Now on a nationwide tour after its two years' run on Broadway, "Happy Birthday" comes to Los Angeles acclaimed as a "happy hit" by one drama critic, while the theatrical pundits of the New York Times hail it "a popular comedy in an original vein."

Producers Lewis and Young have surrounded the star with a National Company of players, several are portraying the original roles they created on Broadway. The original Jo Mielziner settings and effects, and also the costumes designed by Lucinda Ballard will be used so that cities on the route of "Happy Birthday" will view the play exactly as it was displayed in New York.

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L. A. County Museum Gives Official Eskimo Life Reel

"Nanook of the North" is the title of the next picture to be presented in the series of documentary films being presented weekly at the Los Angeles County Museum in Exposition Park, according to James H. County Museum in Exposition

seum. It will be shown at 8 p. m. Friday, November 12. Admission is free.

The film was made by Robert J. Flaherty in the Hudson Bay territory for a fur firm. It is a dramatic picture of the struggle for life in a hostile environment, one of the best studies of Eskimo communal life ever to be put on the screen, according to documentary film experts.

A lively interest in the opportunities offered their children was shown by the large attendance of parents at the Fall Open-House of the Nursery School, Tuesday.

Father-Mother contest prizes were won by J. M. Schmidt and Mrs. George Northrop for poster-painting, Mac A. Cason and Mrs. Harold R. Bartel for finger-painting, and Howell N. White, Jr. and Mrs. George Parr for clay-modeling.

Mrs. Charles James and the Social Committee arranged the

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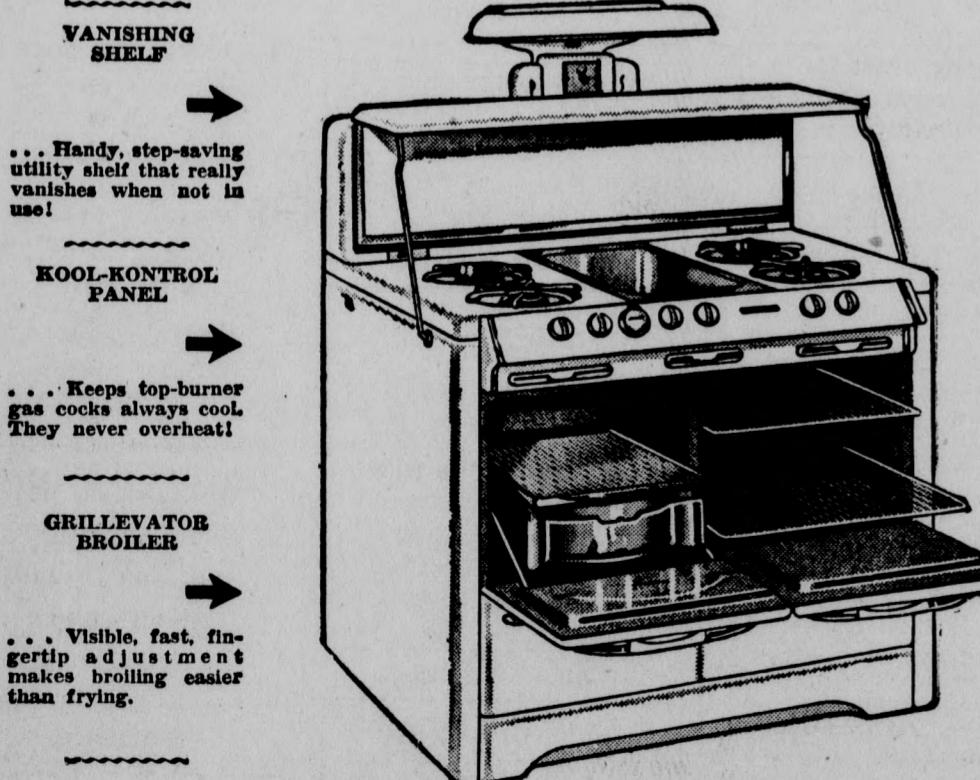
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Fairview avenue. It was recently installed, but back from the corner so that it shines in his eyes when he's trying to sleep—and shines on his dog kennel and keeps his litter of German Shepherd pups awake.

"I think we ought to have a general survey of the entire town," he said on another street light problem arose. "Then give us what we need. At almost every meeting there's a battle."

The other problem on street lighting facing the Council was a petition presented by Courtney Miles who asked that a light be placed in the black depths of Skylane drive in the Terrace. He wants a light opposite 835 Skylane drive, but some other residents don't.

Councilman Henry Korsmeier suggested that all the residents affected get together on where the light should be, but it was finally decided that Engineer W. H. Brod place the light on

Skylane from the standpoint of safety—and then put it in.

Permission to temporarily house himself and his family in a garage while a house was built at 450 Foothill avenue was denied Doug Birkshire by the Council.

He said that he was being evicted from his present home at 536 Ramona avenue but could not get permission to have utilities connected to his proposed temporary quarters.

The question of temporary homes has also plagued the Planning Commission, and Mrs. May de Wright, Commission president, stood up to say, "I wish something could be done to settle it."

City Attorney Thomas A. Reynolds said that Birkshire couldn't be prevented from building a garage and living in it if it conformed to state, county and city building code standards.

It would conform when completed, Birkshire pointed out, except for the fact that it is set three feet from the property line. This is all right for garages but not for houses, he was told.

The Councilmen, sparked by Henry Nuetzel, tried to find a loophole in the law so that Birkshire could move in before his eviction date this month.

Reynolds assured the Council that under the law any kind of a variance could not be got in less than 60 days—and that would require "efficient rushing."

Everybody wanted to help out, but Reynolds assured the Council that the ordinance he (Reynolds) had drawn up was even stronger than the law of gravity.

And even Nuetzel knows that moving a house is easier than getting around a law. So he suggested just that.

"Why don't you jack up your garage and move it over two feet so it's five feet from the property line, live in it until your house is done and then in a couple of months move it back?" Nuetzel said.

Birkshire said it was solidly bolted down.

"Then why don't you move in the wall two feet? You could do that," Nuetzel said. "You could move that back later."

"Would I have to cut off two feet of the roof too?" the petitioner asked.

He was told that, yes, he would have to chop it off.

"I suggest that we don't help him with his problem," Reynolds said.

The councilmen gave up. Work it out with the building inspector, they suggested.

The Council also accepted the resignation of Harold Drury as a member of the Recreation Commission. He said other activities required too much of his time.

With a little prompting Councilman William A. Kinney mov-

ed that the negotiations not only be accepted but that it be accepted with appreciation and as after thought, a letter of appreciation go to Drury.

A group of residents of the Canyon sent a letter of appreciation to the Council for the fire patrol services of Fred Lane. They hope the patrol will be continued until the fire danger is passed.

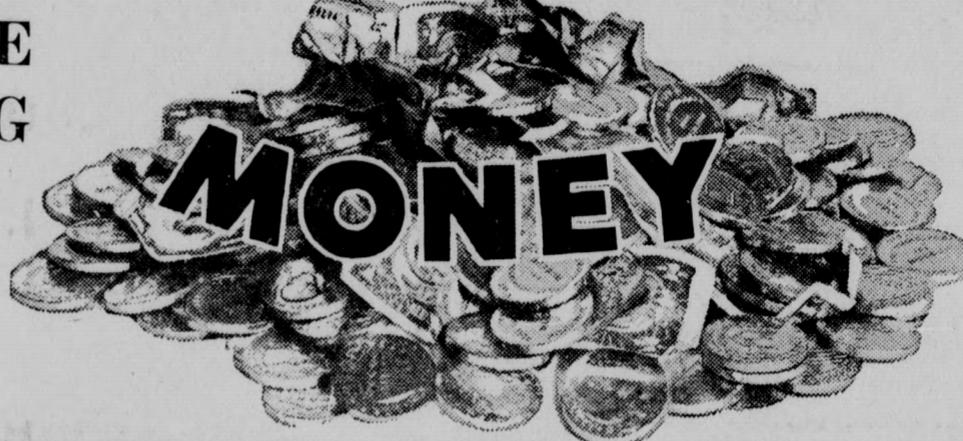
"It's nice to get a letter of appreciation once," Mayor Milton Steinberger said.

A letter of thanks will also be sent to the Lions Club for its donation of a jungle gym to the Sierra Madre Nursery school as long as it continues to be a "non-sectarian and non-profit school."

Six streets were designated by the Council as "major streets" so that state money can be used for their reconstruction.

They are Grandview, Sierra Madre boulevard, Lima street,

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